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TO: Ambulatory Surgical Centers

RE: 2020 HIPAA Compliant Updates to the Freestanding Ambulatory Surgical Center Fee Schedule

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2020 and forward, the Department of Social Services (DSS) will incorporate the 2020 Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) and Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) changes (additions, deletions and description changes) to the Freestanding Ambulatory Surgical Center fee schedule. DSS is making these changes to ensure that the Freestanding Ambulatory Surgical Center fee schedule remains compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). These changes change apply to all HUSKY Health programs (HUSKY A, B, C and D).

Accessing the Fee Schedule:

The updated fee schedule can be accessed and downloaded by accessing the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP) Web site: www.ctdssmap.com. From this Web page, go to "Provider", then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click on the "I accept" button and proceed to click on the appropriate fee schedule. To access the CSV file, press the control key while clicking the CSV link, then select "Open". An Important Message (IM) will be posted and distributed to all providers once the fee schedule has been updated.

For questions about billing or if further assistance is needed to access the fee schedule on the CMAP Web site, please contact the Provider Assistance Center, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 1-800-842-8440.

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